

IDAHO BOARD OF OPTOMETRY
Bureau of Occupational Licenses
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Conference Call Minutes of 7/24/2019

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Raymond C Goodman, O.D. - Chair
Aaron J Warner, O.D.
William von Tagen

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Lance W Fagan, O.D.
Terri L Haley, O.D.

BUREAU STAFF: Kelley Packer, Bureau Chief
Nicholas Krema, General Counsel
Rob McQuade, Legal Counsel
Joan Callahan, Legal Counsel
Cesley Metcalfe, Board Specialist

The meeting was called to order at 10:01 AM MDT by Raymond C Goodman, OD.

PROPOSED LAW

The Board reviewed the most recent draft of proposed legislation for the 2020 Legislative Session. Ms. Callahan stated that the draft being reviewed by the Board includes collaboration with the Idaho Ophthalmology Society and the Idaho Optometric Physicians. All organizations have agreed upon the specific exclusions for the scope of practice.

There are sections of the proposed draft regarding advanced procedures about which the Board is interested in hearing from the Board of Medicine. The Board of Medicine will review the draft at its next meeting on August 1, 2019. The Board plans to schedule a meeting prior to August 16, 2019 to discuss any feedback received from the Board of Medicine.

Dr. Goodman asked Ms. Packer to clarify the Governor's position on Boards opposing each other's legislation. Ms. Packer explained that the Governor's Office expects Boards to come to an agreement or remain neutral. If an agreement is not reached, an association may choose to carry the legislation.

NEXT MEETING was tentatively scheduled for August 6, 2019 at 8:00 AM MDT.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. von Tagen made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 10:30 AM MDT. It was seconded by Dr. Warner. Motion carried.

Raymond C Goodman, O.D., Chair

Aaron J Warner, O.D.

Lance W Fagan, O.D.

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Kelley Packer, Bureau Chief